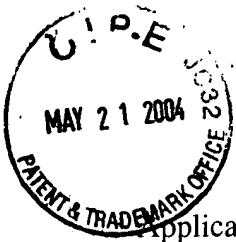


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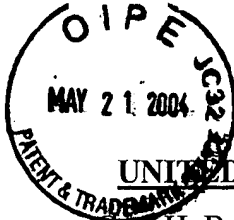
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Dear Sir:

It is requested that the time for filing a response, now set to expire on May 2, 2004, be extended for one (1) month to now expire on June 2, 2004. Fees in the amount of \$55 are attached hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

Gust H. Bardy et al.

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